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5 October 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Medical Services
Director of Scientific Intelligence
Director of Political Research
Director of Technical Service
Acting Director of Research and Development

FROM : [] SA/DDCI 25X1

SUBJECT : Coordination of Research Effort Against
International Terrorism

REFERENCES : a. [] 23 August 1976 25X1
b. NFIB-D-9.9/1, 23 September 1976

1. In line with my responsibility for coordinating the Agency effort on the terrorism target per references a and b, I am making an effort to ensure that research projects in this field avoid duplication and are fully relevant to the needs of the consumers. Therefore, I would very much appreciate it if your office could let me have a brief report covering the following points:

- a. Description of existing research projects, if any.
- b. Description of research projects that are planned and for which funds have been committed.

2. In addition, I would suggest that in the future before firm commitments are made to research efforts in this field that coordination be undertaken with me prior to the actual commitment of funds.

3. Finally, there are a growing number of seminars and conferences on the subject of terrorism being convened outside the

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Agency both under governmental and private auspices to which various elements within the Agency are being asked to send participants. I would appreciate it if your office would touch base with me before accepting such invitations so that we can be sure some coordinated thought is given to who should attend and to the nature of their role.



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Cord Meyer, Jr.

Attachments: References

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AGENCY LIAISON WITH DEPARTMENT OF STATE
ON INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM

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Effective immediately, [] Special Assistant to the DDCI, is designated the Agency's principal official through whom liaison will be conducted with the Department of State on matters concerning the combat of international terrorism. [] will work closely with Ambassador L. Douglas Heck, director of a new office in the Department of State for counterterrorism and Coordinator of the Cabinet Committee Working Group on terrorism. All Agency liaison with Ambassador Heck concerning international terrorism will be conducted through []

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NATIONAL FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE BOARD

Attachment
NFIB-D-9.9/1
21 September 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR NATIONAL FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE BOARD PRINCIPALS

FROM : George Bush
Chairman

SUBJECT: Intelligence Needed to Combat International Terrorism

1. The Secretary of State has advised me of his belief that the urgency and magnitude of the international terrorism problem require a strengthening of inter-departmental machinery designed to deal with this threat. He has appointed Ambassador L. Douglas Heck as Director of a newly structured State Department office to combat terrorism and designated Ambassador Heck to serve as the Coordinator of the Cabinet Committee Working Group on Terrorism. The Secretary has requested that I participate with his representatives in exploring ways in which the management and coordination of our overall effort to deal with acts of international terrorism can be improved.

2. As an essential element of this program there must be a continuing focus by organizations of the Intelligence Community on the acquisition and prompt dissemination of the intelligence needed to counter terrorist activity.

3. All NFIB organizations that have a capability to collect information on the plans, intentions and capabilities of groups or individuals engaging in international terrorist activities are requested to assure the currency of the requirements against which they are operating. Those organizations involved in the analysis and interpretation of such information are requested to pay particular attention to its expeditious dissemination.

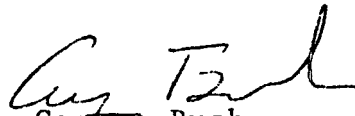
4. I have designated [] as my representative in dealing with the international terrorism problem, and have requested that he work with [] USAF (Retired), of my Intelligence Community Staff, on Community aspects of the problem.

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5. I invite you to provide comments and suggestions to [] as to how we might improve our management and coordination arrangements so as to enhance responsiveness of the Intelligence Community to needs of the U.S. Government in this problem area. I will ask [] to keep the NFIB posted on developments.

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George Bush

MEMORANDUM FOR: Executive Secretary, CIA
THROUGH : Administrative Officer, DCI
SUBJECT : Request for Reimbursement for Lunch
Expenses Incurred in the Conduct of
Official Duty
REFERENCE : DCI Memo dated 17 May 1976

The officer named below incurred expenses on the date indicated in an official capacity. It is requested that the charges indicated be reimbursed.

Date: 26 August 1976

Host: Cord Meyer, Jr.

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Guest:

Reimbursable Charges: \$21.00 (no receipt available)

☒ I certify that the payment of the charges cited herein are allowable under the standards established by referent memorandum.

☐ I certify that prior approval was obtained from the Director for an exception to the provisions of the referent memorandum.

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